

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you, the voters of School District #11 for giving me the privilege to serve you for the next four years.

A special thank you to all the people who worked on my behalf during the campaign.

I would also like to thank the Chronicle, WHPO and Just the Facts for their excellent election coverage.

I will work hard to make sure that all the students receive the best possible education. Every decision I make will always be based on what's best for students and at the same time is affordable. Thanks a lot.



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## Iroquois County voters add to total, outcome remains same

Iroquois County voters added to the total - but did not change outcome of - Tuesday's election for Hoopeston Area school board.

Final vote totals for Hoopeston Area candidates were: Larry Lobb, 1,033; Jeff Stipp, 716; Duane Sheppard, 870; John Smiley, 470; Scott Crose, 370; Terry Veauvois, 241; Lisa Austin, 345; Arlyn Rudin, 299; Oscar Youn, 275; Patti Roberts, 254 and John Hott, 183.

New board members will be seated at the Nov. 10 meeting, when votes will be canvassed.

Milford Grade School voters chose four candidates. Tom Roberts received 221 votes, Nancy Crawford, 191; John Brassard Sr., 203 and Pamela Beall, 196.

Milford High School voters also chose four

candidates. Totals were Randall Schleef, 224, Robert Reeves, 222, Albert Kellerhals Jr., 210 and Margaret Ochs, 225.

In related election news, it was reported Wednesday that a quarter-cent sales tax referendum was defeated.

In fact, the referendum passed, 4,506 to 4,050. Danville votes overcame the 3,039-2,825 county vote against the issue.

The tax, which amounts to an additional 25 cents on a \$100 purchase, will be used for public safety. The tax is expected to generate more than \$700,000 annually.

The new tax will not be imposed on prescriptions and over-the-counter medications, groceries or vehicles, but will be paid on such items as fast food, clothing and



## Police News



Police recovered a Toshiba cassette player stolen Oct. 13 from 824 E. Wyman. The player, found Wednesday in the 800 block of East McNeil, was claimed by Jeremy Green. A CD player and 30 CDs have not been found.

A Dollar General bag with clothing and other items

### In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital  
Nov. 4, 1997

Admitted: Nellie Anderson, Hoopeston.

Discharged: Elizabeth Cannon.

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**John Hott**

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**Duane Sheppard**



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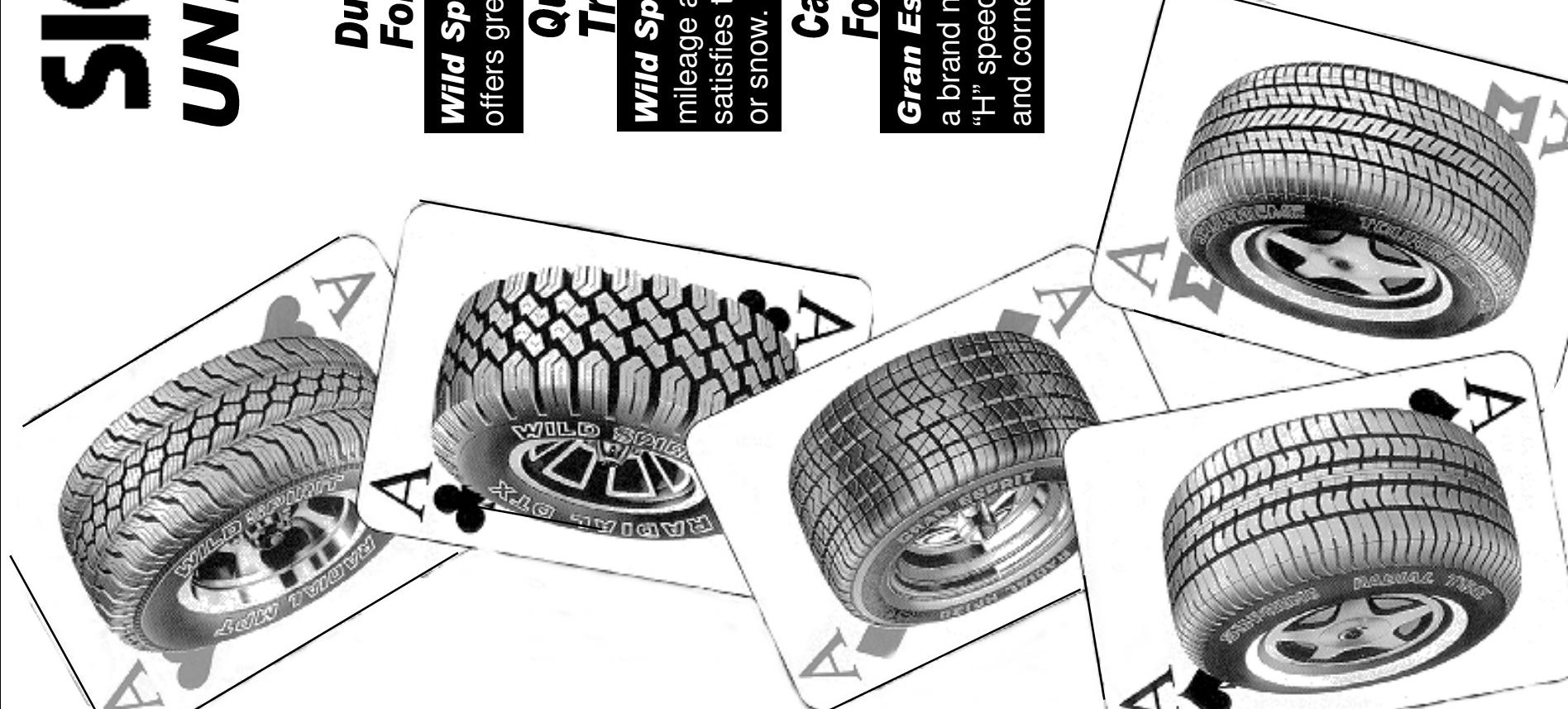
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